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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Burbank et al.)
For: DOPPLER DIRECTED SUTURE)
LIGATION DEVICE AND METHOD)
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